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DAVID W. HIGGINS, Proprietor.

COLONIST BUILDING—Government Street, 1st Door North of the New Post Office Building.

TERMS—INVARIABLY IN ADVANCE.

THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST—Per Year, (subject to Postage)..... $10.
Parts of a Year at the same Rate.
Per Week (if delivered)..... 25 Cents.

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Liberal Discounts to Clubs.

Hotels, Saloons, &c.

ANGEL HOTEL,
LANGLEY STREET,
LATE BAILEY'S LATE EBERHARDT'S
CHARLES MORTON, PROPRETOR.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above, will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of his patrons, and he hopes by so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal share of patronage accorded his predecessor.

The Scale of Charges:

Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
do do per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.
☞ A Fireproof Safe in the House. au28 dwtf

Colonial Hotel and Driard House.
GOVERNMENT AND VIEW STREETS, VICTORIA B.C.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Driard House, will spare no effort to keep the establishments in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.

None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.
mh7 LUGAS & RIDON Proprietors.

Pacific Telegraph Hotel,
STORE STREET, BETWEEN HERALD AND FISGARD
Victoria, B.C.
Andrew Astrico, - - Proprietor.

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.
MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.
CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1 Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.
TERMS—Cash in advance.
☞ Fire-proof Safe in the House.
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ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL
—AND—
RESTAURANT,
Government St., Victoria.

TABLE and ROOMS FIRST-CLASS
☞ *Rate of Charges, Meals 50 Cents.*
ap7 JOHN J. JACOBS, Proprietor.

Mrs. Abrahams'
PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE,
FORT STREET, one door above Douglas.

Board & Lodging - - - $7 00 per week.
Board - - - - - - $5 00 do

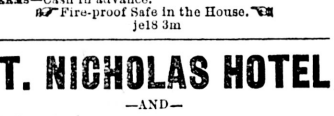
☞ Accommodations for Families or Single Persons
No Bar attached to the house. jy21

Insurance.

Phœnix Fire Assurance
COMPANY.
LOMBARD STREET AND CHARING CROSS,
LONDON.
Established, 1782.
For Insuring every kind of Property in all Parts of the World from Loss or Damage by Fire.

THE PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY with which its engagements are always met by this Company are well known, and the importance of its relations with the Public may be estimated from the fact that since its establishment it has paid more than Nine Millions Sterling in discharge of claims for Losses by Fire.
The security offered to the Public by the Phœnix Office is unlimited, comprising in addition to the large invested capital of the Company the whole fortunes of numerous proprietors composed of some of the most opulent merchants and others in the United Kingdom. Annual and short time Insurances are effected upon all kinds of property in Vancouver Island and British Columbia on the most favorable terms.
Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London.
Rates and Particulars of Insurance may be had on application to THOS. C. NUTTALL, Agent,
au1 Government street opp. Masonic Hall.

DIAMOND SPECTACLES



THESE SPECTACLES ARE MANUFACTURED from "Minute Crystal Pebbles" melted together and are called Diamond on account of their hardness and brilliancy.
It is well known that spectacles cut from Brazilian or Scotch pebbles are very injurious to the eye because of their polarizing light.
Having been tested with the polariscope, the diamond lenses have been found to admit 15 per cent. less heated rays than any other pebble.
They are ground with great scientific accuracy, are free from chromatic aberrations, and produce a brightness and distinctness of vision not before attained in spectacles.
Manufactured by the Spencer Optical Manufacturing Company.
Sale by responsible agents throughout the Union.

J. L. Jungerman
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN, IS SOLE AGENT FOR
VICTORIA, V. I.,
From whom they can only be obtained. No Pedlars employed.
The great demand for these spectacles has induced unscrupulous dealers to palm off an inferior and spurious article for the Diamond. Great care should be taken to see that the trade mark <> (which is protected by American Letters Patent), is stamped on every pair. au6

Insurance.

THE SCOTTISH AMICABLE
MUTUAL LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY.
(ESTABLISHED AT GLASGOW, A.D. 1826,
Is believed to be the most desirable, economical and equitable system of Life Assurance extant.
ASSETS, $8,000,000.
THE SOLE PROPERTY OF THE POLICY-HOLDERS.
DEPOSITED WITH DOMINION GOV'T. - - $150,000.

Under the Minimum Premium System of this Society a person can obtain from one-quarter to one-half more Assurance than he can in other offices under the Ordinary System, for the same Premium, at the same time having the solid security and liberal advantages afforded by this
OLD AND WEALTHY INSTITUTION.
T. ALLSOP & CO., AGENTS, VICTORIA.
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The Standard
LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
GOVERNOR:
HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.
DEPUTY GOVERNORS:
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M.P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.
PRINCIPAL OFFICES.
3 and 5 George Street, Edinburgh.
83 King William Street, } London.
3 Pall Mall, East, }
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.
MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E
COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Clunie Gregor.
Total Amount of Invested Funds, £1,095,589 16 2.
Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.
AGENTS IN VICTORIA.
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.
je15 Wharf Street.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
Insurance Company.
Established, 1809.
CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING.
Accumulated Funds, ... £3,286,126.
LOSSES SETTLED WITH
Promptitude and Liberality.
T. ALLSOP & Co., Agents,
oc6 Government street.

CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION!
OF CANADA.
Head Office, Masonic Hall, Toronto.
CAPITAL.....$500,000.
Stock and Mutual Plans Combined.
Deposited with Dominion Government for Security of Policyholders, $50,000.
PRESIDENT—Sir Francis Hincks, K. C. M. G. Finance Minister of Canada.
VICE PRESIDENTS—Hon. Wm P. Howland, C. B., Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario; Hon. Wm. McMaster, President Canadian Bank of Commerce;
Issued—Over 500 Policies first half-year.
☞ This Association issues all the most approved forms of Policies—all non-forfeiting by charter. Its principle of non-forfeiture more favorable to assured than that of any other company.
☞ A strong company which combines strength of capital, character and local influence and provides life insurance at the lowest safe rates without delusive premises of dividends, making a good dividend CERTAIN by decreasing the premium.
By its organization it enables each policyholder to deal with his own neighbors, stockholders in the company—men whom he knows will do justice to his family after he is dead, and also provides that its funds will be invested to develop the resources of his own country and locality.
A company with capital and breadth enough to be safe beyond question, with national extent and prestige, and yet a HOME company throughout the Dominion.
WILLIAM McCABE,
General Manager, Toronto.
☞ The fullest information will be cheerfully furnished on application to
JOHN ROBSON, Government st., Victoria,
General Agent for British Columbia and Washington Territory, oc22

Standard Life Assurance Company,
Head Office, 3 and 5 George st., Edinburgh,
LONDON, } 82 King William street, and 3 Pall Mall East (West End Office.)
THE REPORT of the Forty-eighth General Annual Meeting of the Company held in Edinburgh, 29th April last, can be had on application at the Company's Agency.
THE COMPANY has Divided Profits on Eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.
THE SURPLUS FUND divided amongst the policyholders in 1870 amounted to the large sum of £331, 591 13s.
ANNUAL INCOME upwards of £700,000.
INVESTED FUNDS upwards of £4 500,000.
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.,
jy23 AGENTS, VICTORIA.

Imperial Fire Insurance
COMPANY.
1 Old Broad Street and 16 Pall Mall,
LONDON,
Instituted, 1803.
FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER Buildings, Goods, Wares, Merchandise, Manufacturing and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or Dock, and the Cargoes of such ships; also, Ships building or repairing, Barges or other Vessels, on navigable rivers and canals, and Goods on board such vessels, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES, from loss or damage by Fire.
Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.
Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
my16 And Washington Territory.

THE UNION INSURANCE COMP'Y
Of San Francisco.
MARINE.
Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.
For Insuring Merchandise, Treasure, Commissions, Profits, &c. For Information, Rates of Premium, &c., &c., apply to
LOWE, STAHLSCHMIDT & Co.
jy15 3m Agents.

NOTICE.
Team for Hire.
GEO. FRANCIS begs to notify the public that his Team stands opposite his Stable on Trounce alley ready for hire at any hour of the Day or Night,
au1

Miscellaneous.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS
FAMILY
BUTCHER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Meats and Vegetables,
PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.
THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.
Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch
☞ Ships and Steamers supplied by contract LOW. ☜
mh10 LONDON MARKET

WINES & SPIRITS.

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE
ARE NOW LANDING
EX "MARY EDEY,";
FROM LONDON.

HENNESSY'S ONE STAR BRANDY,
IN CASE.
HENNESSY'S THREE STAR BRANDY
IN CASE.
HENNESSY'S PALE COGNAC,
VINTAGE 1869, VERY FINE.
SWAIN, BOORD & CO'S OLD TOM,
IN CASE.
DeKUYPER & SON'S GENEVA.
IN GREEN CASES.
BEGG'S LOCHNAGAR WHISKY,
IN QUARTER CASKS & CASES.
DUNVILLE'S IRISH WHISKY,
IN QUARTER CASKS & ASES.
SHERRY AND PORT,
IN QUARTER CASKS.
CLARET IN CASES, Etc., Etc.
All of which are offered to the Trade in quantities to suit.
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,
WHARF STREET, VICTORIA, B. C. jy30 1m

ON HING,
Dealer in
Groceries, Dry Goods,
Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps
HAS REMOVED
To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.
Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. jal1 2m

THE FOLLOWING
IS AN
EXTRACT FROM A LETTER
dated 15th May, 1872, from an old inhabitan of Horningsham, near Warminster, Wilts:—



"I must also beg to say that your Pills are an excellent medicine for me, and I certainly to enjoy good health, sound sleep and a good appetite; this is owing to taking your Pills. I am 78 years old.
"Remaining, Gentlemen, yours very respectfully, L. S."
To the Proprietors of
NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS, London.
jy31w

H. E. WILBY,
AUCTIONEER,
PRODUCE AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
HAVING RENTED THE COMMODIOUS building at foot of Yates street formerly occupied by F. M. Backus, is now prepared to undertake the sale or purchase of any goods on commission, and respectfully solicits a share of public patronage, assuring his friends that all business entrusted to his care will be properly and promptly attended to at moderate charges. au5 1m

TO EXCURSIONISTS.
DURING THE SUMMER MONTHS PASsengers and Excursionists will be taken in the O. S.S.Co.'s steamship CALIFORNIA, Capt. John Hayes, to
PORTLAND and BACK
The round trip for $20, including Meals while on board.
Tourists wishing to view the Magnificent Scenery of the North West Coast, can also be accommodated. They will be taken to
SITKA AND RETURN,
Including Board and Lodging while remaining at Sitka, $100.
For particulars apply to
J. P. GOODHUE
au4 Agent, Office at R. Brodrick & Co.'s.

Boys' Collegiate School
WILL ASSEMBLE ON MONDAY, 3d AUGust, at 9 a.m. au1

New Advertisements.

General Abstract
SHOWING the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in Circulation	$195,696 00	Legal tender coin in Gold and Silver	$134,182 39
Balances due to other Banks and Branches.	35,950 71	Gold and Silver Bullion	40,018 09
Deposits not bearing interest	$617,637 33	Landed and other Property	35,849 04
Deposits bearing interest	72,811 56 690,498 89	Balances due from other Banks and Branches	130,955 78
		All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	741,599 03
Total amount of Liabilities	$922,145 60	Total amount of Assets	$1,082,634 33

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.....$1,490,000 00
Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders.....8 ⅞ cent. ⅞ annum
Amount of last Dividend declared.....$ 59,600 00
Amount of Reserved profit after declaring such Dividend.....$ 169,860 00
(Signed) WM.C. WARD, Manager.
CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.
VICTORIA, B. C., 28th July, 1874.
I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."
(Signed) WM. C.WARD, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 28th day of July, 1874.
jy29 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

General Abstract,
SHOWING the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets, within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874:

Liabilities.		Assets.	
Notes in circulation not bearing interest	$ 76,223 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 87,196 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	26,218 00	Gold Bullion	4,807 00
Deposits on call not bearing int	107,186 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	1,767 00
Deposits not on call bearing interest	303,193 00	Landed and other Property	18,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches.	241,112 00
		Am't of all other Debts due to the Bank	197,206 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$512,819 00	Total amount of Assets	$550,088 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1874.....$5,000,000
Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders.....10 per cent per annum
Amount of the last Dividend declared for half year.....$250,000
Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend.....$1,201,913
[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
VICTORIA, 30th June, 1874. JAMES CRAN, Act'g. Accountant.
I, JOHN GOODFELLOW, do hereby declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."
[Signed] J. GOODFELLOW, Manager.
Declared before me at Victoria, this 8th day of July, 1874.
jy9 [Signed] A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.
Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 10:30 A.M; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Yale and Intermediate Offices.	Wednesday at 2.30 P.M.	Monday at 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 2:30 P.M.	Thursday at 5:30 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS.
MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.
OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.
☞ FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A. M. to 4 P. M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.
HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. ja1

G. D. A. GOULTER
WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM THE Victoria Public that he has received a consignment of
DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES,
And other Goods, direct from England per "Sylhet (which he offers for sale at Reasonable Prices) consisting in part of English Patent and other Medicines, Lung and Chest Protectors, Elastic Stockings, Kneecaps, &c., Brushes, Combs, Sponges, Feeding Bottles, Puff Boxes, Toilet Pots, Soaps, Perfumery, Parisian Hair Wash, Hair Dye, Hair Restorer, Glycerine Wash for the Hands, Judson's Dyes, Plate Powder, Borwick's Prize Medal Baking Powder, Meerschaum and Briar Pipes, Sealskin, Morocco and other Purses, Pens, Ink, Pencils, an assortment of Cut Glassware, and a variety of other articles.
Some CHRISTMAS CASKETS, Etc., at English Prices
STORE on FORT St., adj. Messrs. A & W Wilson's.
ja20 3m

DR. MA CHOO TSUNG,
(FROM CANTON)
Surgeon and Physician,
CORMORANT ST., opp. Orleans Hotel.
CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERIcan Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted.
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NORRIS & WYLLY
REAL ESTATE AND GENERAL AGENTS.
Accountants and Average Adjusters
LOANS NEGOTIATED
Settlements Effected.....Accounts Audited
Rents and Debts Collected.
GOVERNMENT STREET, Victoria,
20th November, 1872. my1

ARTHUR STRONG,
General Contractor and Dust Mover.
CESSPOOLS CLEANSED AT THE SHORTest notice. Regular days for moving dust—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Is prepared to do all kinds of job work in his line at reasonable rates.
Orders left at Isaac Johnson's in Trounce Alley will be promptly attended to.
Residence, Discovery street, next door to Victoria Brewery. ap12

HAYWARD & JENKINSON,
Undertakers,
LANGLEY STREET, VICTORIA.
EX PRINCE ALFRED
HAVE RECEIVED A STRAIGHT INVOICE of
English and American
COFFIN FURNITURE
AND
Trimmings.
Of New and Improved Design, all of which are offered to the trade at Reduced Prices. mh17

JOHN TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT
Corner of Fort and Langley Streets,
VICTORIA, B. C.



DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA
Is the great remedy for
Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Fructations and Bilious Affections;
IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S CURE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT, GRAVEL, AND ALL OTHER COMPLANTS OF THE BLADDER.
And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the sickness of nancy, Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.
Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.
N. B. Ask for DINNEFORD'S MAGNESIA and use DINNEFORD'S Friction Gloves and Belts.

LEA & PERRINS
CELEBRATED
WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE,
DECLARED BY CONNOISSEURS
TO BE
The Only Good Sauce.



CAUTION AGAINST FRAUD.
The success of this delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to
ASK FOR LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE,
and to see that their names are upon the Wrapper, Label, Stopper, and Bottle.
Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire Sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the names of Lea and Perrins have been forged, L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceedings against Manufacturers and Vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.
Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce and see Name on Wrapper, Label and Stopper.
Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, Worcester; Crosse and Blackwell, London, &c., &c.; and by Grocers and Oilmen universally.
To be obtained of Messrs. JANION, RHODES & CO., Victoria, V.I. jc4w

DR. YING,
From the College of Medicine, Canton.
LATELY ARRIVED.
CURES CONSUMPTION BLEEDING OF THE Lungs, Paralysis, and other diseases.
Johnson street, next door to On Ming's. jy10

Notices.

NOTICE.
THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE EXISTing between John Parker and Wm. Owens, as Butchers, in Victoria, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business in future will be conducted by John Parker, who will pay all liabilities and to whom all outstanding accounts must be paid.
JOHN PARKER,
Witness—C. W. HORTH. WILL. OWENS.
Victoria, July 17th, 1874. jy21

NOTICE.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN
MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening
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Private Bills.
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 12th March, 1874.
NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR a Private Bill, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, must be published in the British Columbia GAZETTE and in a newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the nearest District in which a newspaper is published. Such notice must be continued for six weeks prior to the consideration of the petition for the Bill. The Rules relative to notices of Private Bills are published in full in the British Columbia GAZETTE.
J. ROLAND HETT,
mh17 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

Notice to Mariners.
A BELL BUOY BEACON PAINTED RED having a square cone 12 feet high built on it has been moored in 9 fathoms of water off S. W. Point of Brotchie Ledge, off Victoria Harbor.
The Bell will toll at all times and may be heard from three-quarters of a mile to one mile distant.
Persons are hereby cautioned from boarding said Beacon, or in any way interfering with the same, under penalty of five hundred dollars, which will be rigidly enforced upon information.
JAMES COOPER, Agent.
Department of Marine & Fisheries, Victoria, B.C., May 11, 1874. my12 2m

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO THE undersigned will be received till noon of Friday, 28th August, for blasting and removing the "Beaver Rock" in Victoria Harbor. Security required. The Department does not pledge itself to accept the lowest or any tender.
B. W. PEARSE,
Public Works Department, Victoria, B. C., Aug. 7, 1874. Resdt Engineer.
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MUNICIPAL.
Real Estate and Road Tax.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Real Estate and Road Tax for the Current Year are over due and payable at the office of the undersigned, Broad street. All persons liable to pay the said taxes are required to do so forthwith or proceedings will be taken to recover the same.
THOS. RUSSELL, Collector.
City Council Chambers, July 20, 1874. jy22

Municipal—Public Notice.
TAKE NOTICE THAT ALL OWNERS OR AGENTS of property in the City of Victoria, B. C., are hereby required to cause to be eradicated all thistles growing upon their lots during the season; and should the said owners or agents fail to comply with this notice, the provisions of the By-Law in such case made and provided, will be strictly enforced.
By order of the Mayor and Council.
City Clerk's Office, 25th June, 1874. WM. LEIGH, G. M. C.
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BAGNALL'S PIANO AND MUSIC STORE
HAS BEEN ENLARGED AND STOCKED with a fine selection of
English & French Pianos
PARIS HARMONIUMS,
MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS,
A Large Assortment of
Violins & Cases, Bows, Best Roman Strings, Music Stools, Canterburies, Whatnots, Music Stands, Book and Sheet Music, New Music Every Month.
Pianos for Hire or Purchase on Easy Terms. All Instruments Warranted.
J. BAGNALL, Tuner and Repairer of Musical Instruments, 25 years experience. mh8

Plummer & Pagden AUCTIONEERS,
APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS COMMISSION AGENTS,
Wharf Street, Victoria
BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure share of the public support.
Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for Cash.
☞ Liberal advances made on Consignments
Books kept or audited, balance sheets made up, statements prepared and a general Accountant's business confidentially transacted. jy6

A. Casamayou & Co.,
YATES ST., VICTORIA.
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLESale Dealers in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS
mh18 And French Preserves.

MME. De MEUDON DANCOURT,
Pianist and Teacher of Music,
OFFERS HER SERVICES TO THOSE in search of a musical education. Many years of successful experience as a teacher and performer on the Piano are a guarantee of perfect satisfaction.
Speaks English, German and French.
Residence, Kane street, between Blanchard and Douglas. jy20

ASHCROFT FALL MEETING.
THE ASHCROFT ANNUAL
RACE MEETING
WILL BE HELD ON
Wednesday and Thursday the 7th and 8th of October.
ASHCROFT, August 3d, 1874. au4w3

Daily British Colonist.

TUESDAY MORNING, AUG. 25TH, 1874.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exhange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

ENGLISH MAIL.

We have papers to July 27th.

A curious trial is proceeding at Limerick assizes. The agent of a New York Insurance-office and two medical men are charged with effecting insurances upon the lives of persons without their knowledge, forging names to deceive the company.

The Prince of Wales gave a fancy ball and the "Times" devoted three columns to an elaborate description of the principal dresses worn by both sexes, the general effect being that men nowadays, in England, are slightly less extravagant, but a great deal more vain than women,—precisely the distinction noted in savage tribes. The most original episode in the ball seems to have been a fairy quadrille—an artistic idea,

A portrait of Sir W. Ferguson, the cost of which had been defrayed by subscription, was placed in the Royal College of Surgeons in Edinburgh.

Private Atkinson, winner of the Queen's Prize at Wimbledon, received a flattering welcome upon his return to Newcastle, being chaired through the streets.

Lord Penrhyn has given notice that he will not employ members of the Trade's Union, and it is feared that several thousand men will be thrown out of work, as they refuse to abandon the Union.

A large block of buildings at Chatham, used for the purposes Royal Engineers' mess, was burnt down on the 20th July. A grand ball was to have been given in the evening.

The banks of the Monkland Canal gave way near Glasgow, and caused a destrnction of property to the value of of between £30,000 and £40,000.

The Coroner's jury has returned a verdict of "Accidental death" in the case of DeGroof, the "Flying Man," who was killed in descending with a parachute from a balloon.

Two youths at Birmingham have been committed for trial on a charge, they having induced a componion, who could not swim, to accompany them into deep water, and there left him to drown.

In the trial of the action for libel of the Rev. P. P. O'Keefe against Bishop Moran, at Kildare Assizes, a verdict was returned for the plaintiff with £50 damages, but the jury expressed a hope that the litigation would now cease.

The Benchers of Gray's-inn assembled on Saturday to inquire into the conduct of Dr. Kenealy, Q. C., in connexion with the Tichborne case, but, in consequence of the continued illness of that learned gentleman, the opening of the investigation was deferred until August 1.

A boat was capsized off Margate on Thursday. snd two coastguardmen and four other persons were drowned.

Four young women were drowned near Teignmouth on Saturday by the upsetting of a boat. The man in charge of the boat has been committed for trial on a charge of manslaughter.

A murder, arising out of a land dispute, was recently committed in Ireland. A woman was shot near Limerick, in her bed room; but it is believed that it was her husband who was the mark of the assassin. Seven men forcibly entered the house of a farmer near Mullingar, and compelled him to swear to give up possession of his land Petitions have been filed against the return of Sir G. Elliott, the Conservative, and Mr. C. M, Palmer, the Liberal, member for North Durham.

Mr. G. H. Lea, brother of the former Liberal member, has come forward as a candidate for Kidderminster.

The summons against Mr. Chaplin, M. P., one of the Stewards of the Jockey Club, for sanctioning betting on Newmarket Race Course was heard and dismissed by the magistrates, who granted a case for appeal.

Dominion Mail Summary.

OTTAWA, Aug. 12.—Capt. Cameron, chief of the boundary survey commission, was heard from yesterday from a point within sight of the Rocky Mountains, and he had passed through the section of country in which it was apprehended difficulty with the Indians might be met without having encountered anything of the kind. The Northwest police force will follow the same route to some extent. It is probable they will be undisturbed, at any rate for some time,

Lieutenants Michel and Barthe, of the French flagship La Magicienne, now lying at Quebec, are at present on a visit to the city.

A Cabinet Council was held this morning, at which the report on the Pacific Telegraph tenders was presented by the Minister of Public Works. The result will not be known till to-night or to-morrow.

Hon. A. Mackenzie expects to meet the Governor-General at Goderich on the 20th inst.

The Department of Public Works has advertised for tenders for the grading of the Pembina branch of the Canada Pacific Railway, between the international Boundary and a point opposite the town of Winnipeg. Tenders will be received up to the 25th instant.

Another surveying party left last night for Manitoba, to engage in Canada Pacific surveys. They purpose going via St. Paul.

The Canada Pacific Labor Union closed their proceedings at midnight last night. St. Catharines, Ontario, was appointed the place of the next annual meeting. The visiting delegates presented an address to their Ottawa brethren for the hospitality extended to them. Before closing, a resolution was unanimously carried tendering sincere acknowledgement to Hon. Alex. Mackenzie for his kindness and liberality in granting the use of Parliamentary committee rooms and library to the Union while in Session in Ottawa.

TORONTO, Aug. 12.—The heat was excessive this morning. The thermometer registered 83 ° in the shade at 10 o'clock, 87 ° at eleven, and is still going up.

OTTAWA, Aug. 11.—The corner stone of the Ottawa Female College was laid here to-day.

The Legislative Council of Manitoba has refused to decree its own abolition, and for the present its existence must be tolerated.

A movement of French Canadians from the United States to Manitoba has commenced, and it may attain considerable dimensions. The arrival of one detachment of three hundred has been announced by the 'Metis.'

The tenders for the construction of the Canada Pacific Telegraph were opened by the Government to-day. Owing to the peculiar nature of the work and the wide difference in the character of the proposals, it will probably take several days before any proper decision can be arrived at as to their respective merits.

The prospectus of a new magazine was issued to-day, to be published at the principal cities of the Dominion simultaneously. It will be called "The Northmen and Canadian Magazine." P. S. Hamilton, editor of the Halifax 'Recorder,' a writer of considerable note, will be the editor.

MONTREAL, Aug. 11.—A city loan of £750,000 sterling has been negotiated through the deputation in London, England. The first £250,000 sterling at 90 per cent. nett, the city to share the profits over 92 on the second quarter, and the third and last quarter to be issued wholly on the city's account.

The Local Government of Manitoba have sent representatives to the Dominion authorities, urging a speedy commencement of the Pembina branch of the Pacific Railway. We believe it is the intention of the Government, if possible, to have the road placed under contract in September next.

OTTAWA, Aug. 8.—Yesterday the Premier telegraphed to Lieut.-Gov. Morris the text of an advertisement calling for tenders for the construction of the Pembina branch of the Canada Pacific Railway, in order that no delay should occur in providing employment for the settlers who have suffered from the grasshopper plague; and also that the probable tenders of Manitoba contractors would have the same advantage as to time as others in the older Provinces.

The Government has taken the necessary steps to repair the buildings and fortifications at Quebec and Kingston. A considerable force will be employed in both places for this purpose during the remainder of the year.

The work of tabulating, arranging and calculating the figures of tenders for the Pacific Telegraph Line is being conducted by Messrs. Truneau, Brown and Sandford Fleming. The result is not likely to be known for some days.

Sir William Fairbairn.

A cable dispatch announces the the death, at the age of 85, of Sir William Fairbairn, a baronet of the United Kingdom. Sir William Fairbairn was a civil engineer, and was early engaged with the first Stephenson in the construction of railroads. But it was not as a railroad engineer that he gained his reputation and renown. Soon after the opening of the first railroad, he turned his attention to the building of iron ships, and he brought his plans to perfection in 1835 and 1836. To him, therefore, may be ascribed the growth of England's commerce which has followed since iron ship-building has become so general. The deceased was likewise associated with Stephenson in the design and construction of the tubular bridge across the Menai straits, connecting the island of Anglesey with the mainland of Wales. He was one of the founders and first members of the British Association for the advancement of science. He was also the author of many standard books upon iron, among which are, "Iron, Its History and Manufacture, Application of Iron to Building Purposes, and Iron Ship building." He was a native of Kelso, Roxburgshire, Scotland, but received his early education at Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, the home of the Stephensons. He was created a baronet by Gladstone in 1869 in recognition of his eminent services.

WORTHY OF ATTENTION—A series of popular monthly publications issued from the well-known house of Cassell, Pettere & Galpin, London. They are profusely illustrated from designs by Dore and other celebrated Artists, and are replete with information useful, instructive and entertaining, and when once introduced they will become a welcome visitor to over family. They can be bound here neatly and inexpensively in quarterly or semi-annual numbers, as may be preferred. Mr. S. W. James, who has undertaken to canvass for subscribers, will give all the necessary information relative to prices, etc., and will also nave with him specimen copies, which will recommend themselves.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co. ***

LIFE INSURANCE.—Before insuring, compare the rates of other first-class companies with those of the Scottish Amicable Mutual Life Assurance Society, established in Glasgow fifty years ago and having a capital of $8,000,000.—T. ALLSOP & Co. Agents, Government street, Victori ***

A. GILMORE has just received a large assortment of Canadian and English Custom-made Clothing, which he will sell at Reduced Prices; therefore the public are invited to call and select for themselves and make their purchases before going elsewhere. ***

New Advertisements.

PIONEER PIC-NIC.

NOTICE—THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEment of the late Picnic will meet at Alhambra Hall at 8 o'clock THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, when all claims against the Committee are requested to be sent in.

By order of the Board of Directors. au25

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE STEAMER

WM. TABER,

BOGART, - - - - CAPTAIN.

Will sail from Brodrick's Wharf for the above port on Wednesday at 12 noon.

For Freight or Passage apply to

au25 R. BRODRICK & CO., Wharf street.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Frank Chiara and Simon Filippini is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

FRANK CHIARA,
SIMON FILIPPINI.

ALKALI LAKE, May 23, 1874. au25

THEATRE ROYAL.

"THE IDEAL AND THE REAL WORLD!"

ADDIE L. BALLOU

WILL DELIVER A

LECTURE

This (Tuesday) Evening, Aug. 25th,

—ON—

The Ideal and the Real World; or, The World of Spirit and the World of Matter.

COMMENCING AT 8 O'CLOCK, SHARP.

au25

THEATRE ROYAL!

SOLE LESSEE & MANAGERESS, MRS. F. M. PHELPS

LAST NIGHTS

Of the superb artiste

Amy Stone,

SUPPORTED BY

H. F. Stone

—AND—

The Phelps Dramatic Co'y.

Thursday Eve'g, Aug. 27,

Will be presented the wonderful sensation drama in 5 acts, from Wilkie Collins' novel entitled

THE NEW MAGDALEN!

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle & Parquette - - - $1 00
Pit - - - - - - - - - - 50

No Extra Charge for Reserved Seats.
Box office open from 10 till 4 at the Theatre.
Doors open at 7:30; Curtain will rise at 8:15 p.m.
Piano used is from the store of T. N. Hibben & Co.
au25

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Edward Grove, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED to the above Estate are required to pay the same on or before the 20th September next to Mr. S. Bordan, Boston Bar; and all persons who h. ve any claims against aforesaid estate are requested to send in their accounts to abovementioned person at Boston Bar, by the same date.

A. PRINGLE,
ALEX. COUTIER. } Executors

August 15th, 1874. a 23dw

To Let.

A HOUSE WITH TEN ROOMS, A GOOD Garden and Outbuildings, and a neverfailing well of soft spring water, situated on the Craigflower Road, Victoria West. Apply on the premises of

MRS. PARMITER,

Or at T. Shotbolt's Drug Store, Johnson St. au22

Wanted.

ABLE BODIED AND ORDINARY Seamen for foreign ports.

Also—First and Second Mates.

Apply to J. NAGLE,
au22 Bastion street.

To CABINETMAKERS & JOINERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO noon of Friday, 21st inst., for the necessary FITTINGS to the new office of the Savings Bank.

The Plans may be seen at the office of Richard Lewis, Esq., architect, Government street, to whom tenders must be addressed.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN GRAHAM,
Asst. Receiver General.

Victoria, Aug. 14th, 1874. au14

To Be Raffled.

A SINGER SEWING MACHINE (Complete) will be raffled at the Retreat Saloon when the list is filled. Due notice will be given.

my16 85 TICKETS $1 EACH.

DOWNER

KEROSENE OIL.

ABSOLUTELY SAFE.

PERFECTLY HARMLESS.

Always Uniform. Illuminating Qualities Superior to Gas.

Burns in any lamp without danger of exploding or taking fire. Manufactured expressly to displace the use of highly volatile and dangerous oils.

Its safety under every possible test and the perfect burning qualities are proved by its continued use in over

500,000 FAMILIES,

While no accident directly or indirectly has ever occurred from burning, storing or handling it.

The many imitations and counterfeits of the Downer Kerosene Oil that have been thrown successfully on the market is further

Proof of its Superior Merit.

THE DOWNER KEROSENE OIL

Has now a world wide reputation as the SAFEST and BEST. The

Insurance Companies and Fire Commissioners throughout the country

Recommend the Downer Kerosene Oil as the best safeguard where lamps are used.

DOWNER KEROSENE OIL COMPANY,

Boston, Mass.

PAINT AND OIL HOUSE OF

F. B. TAYLOR & CO,

113 Front Street, San Francisco, California

Agents for the Pacific Coast.

Sold in Lots to Suit by the trade generally in Victoria. au11

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE sum of $25 will be paid by the City Council to any person who shall give such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who damaged the Pound Fence on the night of the 10th inst.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

WM. LEIGH, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, 13th Aug., 1874. au15

New Custom House Blanks

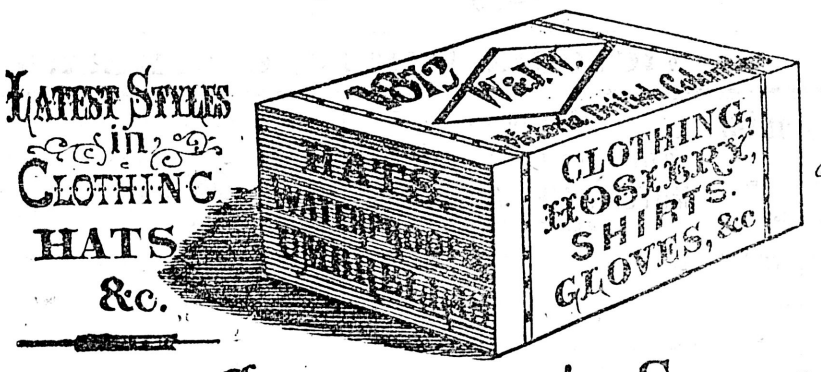
FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY

At the COLONIST OFFICE.

Miscellaneous.

W. & J. Wilson,

GENERAL OUTFITTERS,



LATEST STYLES in CLOTHING HATS &c.

NEW DESIGNS in OXFORD SHIRTS Scarfs, Collars &c.

GOVERNMENT STREET

(Opposite the Post Office)

Wanted.

WANTED.

A YOUNG LADY WISHING TO PROCEED to England, is desirous of meeting with a family who would consider her services an equivalent for the cost of her passage. Best references given.

Address "C," at the COLONIST OFFICE.

Wanted.

A GOOD HEWER—

Apply at the
jy31 AMERICAN HOTEL.

WANTED

A SITUATION AS GROOM, AND TO MAKE himself generally useful about a garden or house, is wanted by a young man recently arrived from England. Has excellent recommendations.

Apply at this office. au2 1m

Wanted Immediately.

ABLE AND ORDINARY SEAMEN for the ship Lady Clarendon, bound to China.

Apply to JER. NAGLE,
jy31 Shipping Master.

WANTED.

THE VANCOUVER COAL MINING AND Land Company (Limited) are in want of a

MEDICAL OFFICER.

Application for the position may be made in person or by letter at the Company's office, Nanaimo. au8

WANTED.

A PARTNER IN A GOOD PAYING BUSIness in the country. Capital required from $500 to $800; or will sell, or will pay 2 per cent. on the loan of $400 for 1 or 2 years. Apply at the

au7 COLONIST OFFICE.

NOW LANDING

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BRANDIES.

THE CHAMPAGNE VINEYARD PROPRIEtors Cognac, Vintages of 1825, 1831, 1858, 1862, 1864, 1868, 1869, in qr. casks and octaves.

X X X BRANDY in case.
X do do

FOR SALE BY

TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,

Wharf street, sole Agents for British Columbia.

THE SOUTHERN VINEYARD PROPRIETORS BRANDY,

IN CASE. FOR SALE BY

TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,

Wharf street, sole Agents for British Columbia.

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WHISKIES.

BULLOCK, LADE & CO'S

BENMORE,
CAMLACHIE,
CAOL ISLAY,

IN BULK AND CASE.

FOR SALE BY

TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,

jy29 Wharf street.

ALE and STOUT.

BASS & CO'S ALE & GUINESS' STOUT

Bottled by Foster & Sons.

FOR SALE BY

TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,

jy29 Wharf street.

ALSO ON HAND,

IRISH WHISKIES,
Double Crown and Amontillado Sherries in case and bulk,
PORT WINE,
ENGLISH SODA WATER, Etc.

FOR SALE BY

TURNER, BEETON & TUNSTALL,

jy29 Wharf street.

NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting under the name and style of Rothschild & Co., doing business at Port Townsend, W. T., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. D. C. H. Rothschild, of Port Townsend, W. T., is empowered to collect all outstanding accounts and notes due the late firm, and will pay all accounts and notes owing by said firm.

JOSEPH BOSCOWITZ,
D. C. H. ROTHSCHILD.

Signed in Victoria, July 27, 1874.
Signed in Pt. Townsend, July 31, 1874. au2 1m

REWARD OF $25.

I OFFER THE ABOVE REWARD FOR THE arrest of any person caught defacing or otherwise mutilating the bills or posters of the Theatre.

MRS. FANNY MORGAN PHELPS.
au12. Sole Lessee and Manageress.

NOTICE.

BARNARD'S EXPRESS TO CASSIAR IS discontinued from this date.

au11 1w. F. J. BARNARD & CO.

ST. LOUIS COLLEGE.

THIS INSTITUTION WILL REOPEN ON MONDAY, August 17th, at 9 a.m. au13

Dissolution of Copartnership.

VICTORIA, August 6th, 1874.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between Leopold Boscowitz, Joseph Boscowitz and J. D. Warren is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

J. D. WARREN,
LEOPOLD BOSCOWITZ,
JOS. BOSCOWITZ (per L.B.)

Witnessed by THOMAS HARLE. au7

C. STROUSS & CO.

OFFER FOR SALE

IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

HENNESSY PALE BRANDY, in Qrs. and Octaves;
do DARK do in Qrs. Very Fine, Vintage of 1846.
do do in Cases;
SAZARAC do in Qrs. and Octaves, Vintage of 1854.

WINES:

CHAMBERTIN BURGUNDY, in cases.		CALIFORNIA HOCK,	in cases.
CHABLIS	"	do DRY MUSCATEL	"
CLARET	"	DUFF GORDON SHERRY,	in qr. cks.
CALIFORNIA WHITE WINE	"		

Sardines, in qtrs. and hlfs;
French Mustard;
French Peas

Dried Peaches, In boxes;
Teas—Congou, Oolong and Basket;
2,000 Grain Sacks.

Commercial Row, Wharf Street, Victoria.

June 17th, 1874. je18 1m

NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,

Gun & Rifle Maker,

FORT ST., opp. Scotch House,

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

Central Fire Breech-Loaders,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.

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FURNITURE

BEDDING, CARPETS,

WINDOW BLINDS,

Crockery, Glassware,

SHEETING, WALL PAPER,

—AND—

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

Of Every Description.

A large assortment of

Jam and Butter Jars

CUPS AND SAUCERS - - - - $1 per doz.
DINNER PLATES - - - - 50 cts. do

In fact if you want a Cheap Outfit Go to

MANSELL & HOLROYD'S

CORNER OF YATES AND DOUGLAS STS

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Strayed—$5 Reward.

A BROWN PONY, WITH WHITE spots on saddle place, branded No. 2 on one shoulder. Whoever will bring him to the undersigned, or give information leading to his recovery, will receive the above reward.

jy25 JAMES WARD, Beacon Hill.

R. HAGGERTY

STORE STREET, between Johnson and Cormorant,

PAYS THE

HIGHEST CASH PRICES

For Ladies' and Gentlemen's

CASTOFF CLOTHING,
SECONDHAND FURNITURE,
BOOKS, ETC.,

Parties not wishing to bring their articles to me will be waited upon at their residences. au9 2p

For Sale---To Let.

TO LET.

FURNISHED ROOMS WITH BOARD IN a private family. Apply at the

au8 COLONIST OFFICE.

FOR SALE.

A Rare Chance for Parties to Invest in a Business in the Country.

THE WELL-KNOWN HOTEL AND GENeral Store of LEON ECKSTEIN, now doing a thriving business, is offered for sale on account of the owner having to leave on important business.

The population of the district is rapidly increasing and the store enjoys a large Indian Trade.

From this date goods will be sold at REDUCED RATES FOR CASH!

Attached to the Hotel is a Farm, a beautiful Garden and Fine Orchard. For particulars apply to

H. F. HEISTERMAN,
Land Agent.
Or to LEON ECKSTEIN,
my23dw On the premises.

R. B. THOMPSON,

DENTIST,

HAS RETURNED TO THIS CITY and may be found at his office, Langley street, near Yates street, (Upstairs in brick building) from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. au2

NOTICE.

RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

MR. J. D. PEMBERTON, THE PROPRIetor of the land on the Cadboro Bay Road, where the Rifle Butts are placed, having objected to any further firing thereat,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the butts will be removed by the Militia Department as soon as possible and all firing thereat after this date is forbidden. There will be no firing at the expense and under the regulation of the Association at any range until further notice.

By direction of the Council of the Rifle Association.

VICTORIA, Aug. 6th, 1874. au7

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED TENDERS (ENDORSED TENders for grading Quebec street) will be received until Wednesday next, August 26th, at 7:30 p. m., for Grading Quebec street, from Oswego to Montreal St.

Plans and Specifications can be seen at the City Surveyor's office, daily, from 10 to 4 o'clock.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Security required for the faithful performance of the work.

By order of the Mayor and Council.

W. LEIGH, C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, 19th Aug., 1874. au21

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TUESDAY MORNING, AUG. 25TH, 1874.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmp Wm. Taber, fm San Francisco.—W Clinn, GV, F Neufelder, Welch-Rithet, Baines & Pitts, Lowe, Stahlschmidt, J Cowper, R Carr, A B Gray, Lewis Lewis, RWD, HBCo, D Green, On Hing, HM, G Bossi, H Short, Janion-Rhodes, CS, G Sutro & Co, HLaCo, J Hirst, AA, F W Foster, Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, L Bettman, Findlay; Durham & Brodie, City of Victoria, N SP, J Schl, W Dalby, Smith & Clark, G C Keays, RC, C Bossi, W Jones, J Weiler, JS, A Rickman, M Saunders, H Gerke, ACC, G Morrison, TNH, G, E Marvin, AB, PN, TMC, AV, T, Oppenheimer Bros, R Maynard, ATW, C, L, TN[Barkerville], LH, CFM, RAC, CLaCo, AaWWilson, JS, TSC, DJP, CSaCo, C T Millard, RW D, J Schl, Mansell & Holroyd Langley & Co, P McQuade, E B Marvin, WAC, Hope], G T Seymodr, Capt Martley (Clinton). T Trounce, T N Hibben, J Dickson, BRaCo, Belmont Co, O Warner, J S Drummond, Mrs Ridley, Mrs Lindhardt, M McMillan, J L Jungerman, N Cunio, A Gilmore, J McB. Smith, P Fiterre, H H Maude, B B Columbia, Mrs Preese, G Spelde, M Schl, W McKeon, E H Sanders, R D Bullard, Mrs Huston, S Duck, W J Jeffree, M Smith, G Blass, JPD, L Erb, J Dougall, Matthews, Richards & Tye.

DEATHS.

In this city, August 24th, William John, infant child of Joseph H. and Louisa King, aged 1 month and 22 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Wednesday, 26th inst., at 2 o'clock, from the residence of the parents, Fisgard St.

At San Francisco, Amy Catherine, only child of Ida and the late Thomas Schooley, aged 9 months.

MARRIED.

On the 20th inst., at St. Paul's Church, Esquimalt, by the Rev. Mr. Gribbell, Robt. H. Young to Evelina Elizabeth, daughter of J. G. Norris.

The Tacou Expedition.

RETURN OF THE STEELE PARTY!

FORT WRANGEL, Aug. 16, 6 p. m.

H. N. Steele's party from the Tacou country returned this evening. They travelled up the Tacou River 150 miles to the Forks. The whole country is nothing but a succession of quartz ledges; found gold all along but not in paying quantities. They think they did not go far enough by at least 150 miles. They represent the country as having a much milder climate than Cassiar, not overtimbered, with prairie patches occasionally, in which grass grows to the height of 7 feet, and fruit and game of all descriptions exist without limit. There are not as many Indians in the country as was supposed. They are peacably disposed yet do not care about any whites coming to their country.

The U. S. Troops Destroy Spirits and Confiscate Goods!

WRANGEL, 5 p.m. Aug. 19.

Str California just arrived from Sitka. Shortly after her arrival four detachments of U. S. troops were landed and every store and house was searched for liquor. Wherever found it was instantly destroyed. In Sam Goldstein's a barrel of brandy was found, the clerk arrested and the store, which contained about $6000 worth of goods, was closed and is now in charge of an U. S. officer. Wilson's saloon was closed; Curry & Waters' was also closed with several others. Barrels, cases, bottles, etc., were taken out and broken to pieces. The town was quite lively for a few hours.

Arrival of the First Overland Cattle Train at Cassiar!

GLENORA LANDING, Aug. 16.

An Indian arrived here this evening with dispatches to the Gold Commissioner from McGregor, who is with the overland cattle train from the Fraser, requesting that some provisions be sent out to meet them as they were short. It took the Indian 2¼ days to reach the Landing from the time he left the train, which is supposed to have struck the south fork of the Stickeen about 60 miles from here. The Indian returns to-morrow with supplies. McGregor reports all in good health and the cattle in good condition.

NEW GOODS.—Turner Beeton & Tunstall have received per "Wm Taber" a further large shipment of seventy-five cases of Dry Goods, bought in England by Mr. J. H. Turner. These goods have arrived in a much shorter time than any ever received in this Province, having come via New York and Central Pacific Railroad. They comprise the latest novelties and will be sold at unusually low rates. ***

THE EAST ELGIN ELECTION.—The official declaration of the poll in the East Elgin election has been made by the returning officer. Mr. McDougall's majority is slightly latger than was at first reported. The numbers stand as follows:—Good votes, McDougall, 1,738; Jenkins, 1,523; majority for McDougall, 215. This is another victory for the Government.

THE FASTEST STEAMBOAT IN THE WORLD. The Mary Powell yesterday made her trip from this city to Poughkeepsie—75 miles—in the unprecedented time of 3 hours and 19 minutes, deducting the 20 minutes spent at the various landings. It is also reported that she made the run from this city to Piermont, 28 miles, in one hour.—*N. Y. Mail, Aug. 8th.*

FIRST PRIZE FIGHT AT CASSIAR. — The first prize fight at Cassiar has occurred at Telegraph Creek, between a six-foot Victorian and a little Cornishman. The Victorian was sent to grass three times in as many minutes, when he put on his coat and retired. The fight was about a whip-saw which each man claimed and which the whipped man surrendered after the third round.

THE BEECHER CASE.—Last night's dispatches were occupied with the detailed statement of Moulton before the Investigating Committee. It contains little that has not already appeared in print to a nauseating extent, and we prefer to lay it aside for the insertion of more interesting matter.

NEW MUSIC.—The following new pieces of choice music, from the Boston publishing houses of White, Smith & Co. and G. H. Russell & Co., have been laid on our table by Hibben & Co.: "Fairy Bells," "The Fire Fly," "Beyond the Vale," "Sing to Me," and the "Flower of Love," schottische.

ERRATUM.—In Saturday's issue an item of Cassiar mining news was erroneously credited to Mr. Johnston, mail contractor.

British Columbia Indians.

An occurrence took place some time ago in British Columbia which tells more of the result of good treatment on the characters of the aborigines than all the novels which were written by Fenimore Cooper. Lieut.-Col. Powell, in the course of his duties, had lately to make a tour through a portion of that Province, and it is stated in the report of his reception by the Indians with whom he had to transact business, that it rather resembled the triumphal march of a Roman conqueror than the official tour of an Indian Commissioner. Think of being escorted several miles on his way by a guard of honor composed of three hundred Indian braves on horseback! Everywhere the the Commissioner appears to have been well received, and everywhere the results of his visit appear to have been satisfactory, the chiefs expressing the best feeling towards the Government of Canada and towards their white neighbors, and delight at finding that they were not forgotten. What would not the Washington Government give if one of their Commissioners were accorded such a welcome?—*Montreal Gazette.*

Weekly British Colonist.

This valuable paper has been still further enlarged by the addition of a seven-column supplement, which is given in addition to the regular edition and without extra charge. This makes the WEEKLY COLONIST the largest paper printed north of San Francisco. It has long been the best and cheapest. The present number of the enlarged form will appear to-day ready for mailing by the Wm. Taber. The price is one bit for single copies; $5 by the year. Call and get specimen copies.

Another Outrage.

We publish a card this morning signed by four contractors for road work with respect to outrageous proceedings at the Land Office yesterday—proceedings that are but a repetition of similar scenes of almost daily occurrence in the same department. The abuses practiced under the eye and with the sanction of the Chief Commissioner must be put down. If the sufferers cannot secure redress in the Courts they must seek it at the Ballot-box.

Steamship Idaho.

The report that the firm of Rosenfeld & Birmingham had sold out to Nelson, Goodall & Co., and that the propeller Constantine would be put on the Victoria route is emphatically contradicted by the arrival of the Wm. Taber. R. & B. have secured the fine propeller Idaho, will put new boilers in her and place her regularly on the route under the command of that capable and popular commander, Capt. Bogert. The first trip will be made October 5th.

"LED ASTRAY."—The audience at the Theatre last evening was the largest of the season and comprised many ladies. The interest manifested was very great, and enthusiastic demonstrations of applause frequently burst forth. We have already furnished our readers with a review of the charming piece, and we shall not tire them with a repetition. The character of the Countess Chandoce was played with great force and spirit by Mrs. Stone, whose versatility is the most remarkable feature of her acting. Mrs. Phelps played Mathilde excellent and gave universal satisfaction. The acting of Mr. Stone as the Cornet was such as to win general admiration. Mr. Dudley as George de Lesparre played the accomplished *roue* to perfection. Two of the best pieces of acting were by Mr. Crowell and Mr. Simms—the former astonishing his friends; the latter sustaining his well-earned reputation. Miss Morgan and Miss Pixley played charmingly, as usual, and won many new admirers....On Thursday evening "The New Magdalen."

WM. TABER'S PASSENGER LIST.—The following passengers arrived yesterday from San Francisco: C. H. Trehart, J. L. Jungerman, Mrs. Marshall and 3 children, Miss. G. D. Clara, Mrs. I. Joyce, Mrs. McCarty and infant, P. G. Patridge, Mrs. Chas. H. Trehart, Mrs. R. McD. Nugent, A. Townsend, D. D. Manson, Mrs. Brooks and 2 children, Miss Rosalie Brett, G. F. Seymour, Mrs. Montague, Mrs. E. M. Gillispie, Mrs. T. Washington, James Syme, S. Julius Mayer, Capt. C. E. S. Macdonald, I. Holmes, W. N. Maguire wife and infant, T. Charles, A. Binsland, Miss M. Scott, Mrs. Jessup and child, Mrs. G. E. Smith and infant, Mrs. M. Jensen, Joseph Spratt, and 35 in the steerage.

THE MAIL STEAMSHIP WM. TABER arrived from San Francisco early yesterday morning, having made the run in 92 hours. The down trip was made in 93 hours. She brings 70 passengers, 384 tons of freight, and English, American and Canadian mails.

CAPT. MCDONALD, a former resident of Victoria (in 1858) and an early pioneer of California, where he is widely known and much respected, arrived by the Wm, Taber yesterday. He is on a pleasure trip. Capt. McDonald is commander of the crack military company of San Francisco.

ADDIE L. BALLOU, a young lady, will deliver a lecture on "The Ideal and the Real World," at Theatre Royal this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. Miss Ballou comes warmly recommended by the Press of California and Oregon.

RETURNED.—Mrs. John Jessop, wife of our esteemed Superintendent of Education, and Mr. Thomas Charles, (H.B.Co.) who have been absent in Europe for some time, returned yesterday, on the steamer We also noticed Messrs. Spratt, Jungerman and Trehart.

THE Lane & Kurtz Co. will resume operations, with Col. Lane as manager, we understand.

THE steamer North Pacific, with passengers, live stock and mails, arrived at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

MORRIS, the American rower, declines to meet Brown at Halifax, but will row him on American waters.

THE steamship Wm. Taber will sail for San Francisco at 12 o'clock noon tomorrow.

THE bark Mary Edey was towed to Nanaimo by the Isabel yesterday.

Washington Territory.

FIR SEED FOR EUROPE.—Mr. L.D. Durgin, is at present engaged in collecting a large quantity of fir cones for shipment to Europe. Last year he had a considerable order for these cones, but was unable to fill it owing to the trees not bearing. In the meantime the order has been doubled, now requiring, we understand, about a hundred bushels of Puget Sound fir cones. The yield this season is abundant, and he will therefore have no difficulty in supplying the wants of his customers in France and England. It is thus seen that, while our own people are exerting themselves to destroy these valuable trees, Europeans are as industriously propogating them on their own soil. Having seen in the form of spars some of the products of our noble forests, they now have a natural and laudable desire to grow on their own lands those giants of the forest—*Tacoma Tribune.*

McKay, of the Tacoma Brewery, was found guilty at Steilacoom of selling beer from packages to which internal revenue stamps had not been affixed, and was sent to the county jail to serve out an imprisonment of four months. — *Seattle Intelligencer.*

Messrs. Levy offer to dispose of their soda manufactury at a reasonable price.—*Ibid.*

"RIP VAN WINKLE."—Under this heading we find the following in the San Francisco *Bulletin*:—"A stranger, who we judge to be the most patient man now living, sends us the following letter of inquiry:

VICTORIA, B. C., August 10, 1873.

EDITOR S. F. BULLETIN—*Sir*:—In the year 1855 I had $450 deposited with Adams & Co.'s Express. Since that time I have been in the mountains of this country and could hear nothing of their business since their falure.

Mr. EDITOR, if it is not too much, I would like you to let me know whether there ever has been anything saved for the depositors, and will oblige an old prospector. Yours, etc., M.T. OREN.

Having asked our friend, the oldest inhabitant, if he could remember the time when such a house as Adams & Co's Express was doing business in this city, and if so what had become of it, the venerable pioneer replied: "There was such a house here long ago. It did a heavy banking business and failed in 1855 for a large amount; and the depositors have never been paid a dollar to this day." We hope the unfortunate who has just woke up in Victoria will find this information."

FROM SITKA AND CASSIAR.—The steamship California, with U. S. troops from Sitka, and 40 Cassiarians, returned from Sitka and Wrangel on Sunday afternoon, and sailed yesterday morning for Portland. The news, which is of much importance, will be found under separate headings in this issue.

COURTHOUSE ALTERATIONS.—The following tenders for this work were opened yesterday: Smith & Clarke, $6,085; John McDowell, $5,800; Muirhead & Mann, $5,612; T. S. Allatt, $4,850; Hayward & Jenkinson, $4,548. Hayward & Jenkinson's bid was accepted.

PASSENGERS BOOKED.—The following passengers were booked last evening for San Francisco per Wm. Taber: Mrs. J. Wilson, L. Boscowitz, Mrs. J. Boscowitz, child and servant, H. Rodick, D. Hunter.

THE Mechanics' Literary Institute Orchestra will give a concert about the first week in September, the proceeds to be applied to the relief of the Royal Hospital.

BOOKS, Cards, Billheads, Circulars and Posters printed by steam at the BRITISH COLONIST OFFICE.

A Card.

EDITOR COLONIST:—The undersigned tendered for the construction of a road from East Saanich road to Telegraph Bay. The time for receiving the same expired to-day at noon. The time for receiving tenders for the Courthouse alterations also expired to-day at noon. The latter tenders were opened *publicly*, before us and others, and the contract awarded. The Clerk (Mr. Farwell) then took the road tenders, and when asked if they would be opened replied "*no, not in public.*" The tenderers for the Courthouse were present and can substantiate this statement.

We leave the public in particular and contractors in general to draw their own inference of this strange proceeding.

(Signed) DUNCAN CAMERON, WM. TIERNEY, WM. BAKER, MALCOLM MUNRO.

Aug. 24, 1874.

The Recalcitrant Witness.

EDITOR COLONIST:—In the Government *Pap-bowl* of Saturday I see that it is attempted to justify Mr. DeCosmos' refusal to come before the Commission on the plea that his traveling expenses would come from his own pocket.

This is simply false. Mr. DeCosmos receives as a Member of Parliament a large sum from the Canadian Government as *mileage* between the Capital and Victoria, so that excuse, like many others from the same quarter, is *too thin.*

ANTI-HUMBUG.

RAYMOND SEWING MACHINES.—These favorite machines are easy to learn, durable and light running—and have all the newest fittings. They make a beautiful stitch and sew light and heaviest work. All who have purchased these machines testify to their excellence. "The Raymond Lockstitch Machines" are made in three sizes. To further recommend these machines a limited number will be let out on hire. A supply lately received by A. B. Gray, sole Agent in B. C.—Albion House, 31st July, 1874. ***

MUSIC.—Judges of really good Musical Instruments will agree with us that the assortment received ex-Prince Alfred is the best imported into the Province for years. It comprises Violins with Bows, Pegs, Tail Pieces, Finger Boards, Strings and Rosin, Guitars, Flutes, Drum Fifes, Clarionettes, Cornopions, Piccoios, Flageolets, German and French Accordeons, Flutinas and Concertinas. One superior tricord upright Piano, direct from the Manufacturer.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co ***

LONDON HOUSE has received per Wm. Taber a large shipment of Dry Goods, Millinery, &c.,&c., newest styles, purchased by our Mr. Turner in London. ***

Letter from Cassiar.

[From our Traveling Correspondent.]

LAKE TOWN, DEASE CREEK, Aug. 4th.

It may be safely said, that nearly every claim on this Creek has been at work long enough to satisfy shareholders as to the extent of pay, and it is well known that the result has fallen far short of what a month ago was generally expected. About one-third of the claims, some of which were supposed to be in the very best locations, have turned out blanks, and are fast being abandoned; a few, perhaps a dozen, are paying from fifty to one hundred and thirty-five ounces to twenty hours run, (night and day shift), and the rest may be put down at a little over wages as the average. You will remember, however, that mining operations on this Creek extends over a distance or ten miles, and although there may be many a blank between the first and last stake, and no such deposits found as were picked up in Cariboo, still a great many here will make a little stake this year. But although considerable prospecting has been done in the district, nothing worth speaking of has been found, and as Thibert Creek has proved almost a "bilk," we have only this Creek to boast of, so you see, under these considerations, I do not think I would be justified in proclaiming Cassiar the "Eldorado of the world," or even of British Columbia.

Four companies, in all about twenty men, have left this place during last month, and have gone down the Deloire River on a prospecting expedition. You will remember that it was down that river poor McCulloch reported he had found very rich diggings, and that it was to that place the unfortunate prospector was returning when death overtook him in the snow-drifts of the Lower Stickeen. Nearly all the idle men that are here now are merely waiting for news from this quarter, and this news will decide which way they will go, down the Deloire or down to Victoria.

In the matter of grub, we have simply fallen into the hands of the enemy. The packing is controlled by two traders, who seem to be determined to grind their pound of flesh out of the honest prospector. Just think of it! 40 cents a pound for packing over ninety miles of a fine a country as is in British Columbia. The thing is simply aggravating, But how can we help ourselves? Indians cannot be hired to pack for any less than the rate charged by those two pack-trains; and although two other trains did make their way up the river for the purpose of engaging in the business, their owners were corrupt to the core; for not having the welfare of the honest miner at heart, they allowed themselves to be bought off by the monopolists, and the price of grub was still kept up. The result of all this is, that at the present price the grub men who are engaged in prospecting the country are fast getting discouraged; in fact many have already given up in despair and gone below. For the last four weeks the record kept by the boatmen shows an average of twenty a day leaving the country.

Of course, I do not pretend to blame those two traders, they have got the pack-trains in their own hands, and the best show to make money which has occurred to them for many a year, and it will be safe to say they will clear fifty thousand dollars a piece this season. It is fun for them, but rough on the prospector. We have one glimmer of hope left us. That is the arrival of the overland train; and many an anxious eye is scanning the horizon in the direction of the valley of the Fraser, to catch the first glimpse of the vanguard of this long-looked for success. Flour is selling at fifty dollars a hundred, when it could easily be set down here for half that price.

Our town numbers now thirty-two business houses, chiefly saloons and stores; but as it is not in the centre of the mines it does not present a very lively appearance except on Sunday, when the miners come in to get their supplies.

The weather here has been quite changeable, although I cannot say that it is at all disagreable. We have, however, cold night always, ands frost has occurred every few nights all through the summer.

VICTORIA.

AMONGST THE NOVELTIES OF THE SEASON just received by BROWN & WHITE, Government street, are black and colored Silks, Irish Poplins, Kid Gloves, Ribbons, Hosiery, Trimmings, Handkerchiefs, Linen Sets and Ruffles, Shirts, Polonaises, Tweeds, Muslin and Lace; Frilling and a variety of other goods selected especially for this market by one of the partners in London, which will be offered at the lowest possible prices.—BROWN & WHITE. ***

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers. ***

KINAHAN'S L. L. WHISKY.—This most delicious old mellow spirits is the very Cream of Irish Whiskies, is unrivalled, perfectly pure, and more wholesome than the finest Cognac Brandy.—Note the Red Seal, Pink Label, and Cork, branded "Kinahan's L.L."—Findlay Durham & Brodie, Agents. ***

THE VICTORIA BINDERY.—Books of all descriptions bound in elegant Turkey, Morocco or common sheep. Paper ruled to any pattern. Receipts numbered and perforated. Charts or Maps mounted on linen with rollers attached, or with cover suitable for the pocket.—R. T. WILLIAMS, at T. N. Hibben & Co's. ***

DELAYED DISPATCHES.

Europe.

PARIS, Aug 17.—The official count of votes in Colvados places the election of M. Delaney (Bonapartist) beyond a doubt. The "Journal des Debates" regards the election as ominous of danger, and warns the country against the threatening attitude of the Bonapartists. Le Temps says that while the Monarchical parties are disappearing the Bonapartists are coming to the front.

Complete returns from the Department of Colvados give Cellany (Bonapartist) 40,794 votes, and Aubert (Republican) 27,000.

NEW YORK, Aug 17.—European letters say Italy seems to have become hopelessly bankrupt. The people are sincerely loyal to their King, and the Ministers are almost pedantically attached to the English theory of Parliamentary government. The State asks nothing better than to leave the church alone, but they have no bread and no specie, and they have floods, malaria, bandits and paper money.

PARIS, Aug 17.—Victor Hugo was seriously injured to-day by being knocked down by the pole of a cart. He remains in a dangerous condition.

NEW YORK, Aug 17.—A Paris correspondent says: The Archbishop of Paris has given rise to another diplomatic difficulty, owing to a pastoral letter which was read to a few faithful in the Cathedral, and posted up a short time since, as the journals dare not publish it. Some idea of its tenor may be formed from these facts: First—It was written immediately after Ginbertz' return from Rome, where he had several interviews with the Pope. Second—Marshal MacMahon went directly to De Nigra's, the Italian Minister's house, and made an apology for the letter, saying a note on the subject would appear in the Journal Officiel next morning. The pastoral letter contained things offensive to Italy and to Victor Emanuel.

NEW YORK, Aug 19.—A Brussels letter says: "Very little of general interest has transpired respecting the transactions of the Congress. It is working industriously about three hours per day. Nearly all the European States are represented, while the responsibility for the Western Continent is borne by the Republic of San Salvador, who is a sort of philanthropist and self-appointed delegate. Belgians, of all classes, look coldly on the Congress because they suspect some trick on the part of the great military monarchies and clericals, because they hear rumors that some sort of demonstration against Carlism will be made."

BERLIN, Aug 19.—The Post says that the Brussels Congress has abandoned the Russian programmes. The delegates have transmitted, for the satisfaction of their respective Governments, the resolutions adopted, which merely enlarge the humane provisions of the Geneva Convention.

LONDON, Aug 18.—Several base-ball clubs have been formed in the north of England. Manuals for players are published and articles used in the game have been imported for sale.

The "Mark Lane Express" says: "Bad weather prevailed throughout the past week, but our farmers kept a sharp look-out and secured their crops. There are no reports of spouting, though much wheat was stacked in poor condition, in consequence of heavy winds and low temperature. The same weather has prevailed on the continent. This will bring good samples to the front, and increase the value of the old stock. There is little difference in price since last reports, although the tendency is downward. The crops here and in France are mostly secure, and the dependence of both countries on foreigners is lessened. The last estimates put our crop at seven per centum below the average."

Right Honorable William Forster leaves shortly for the United States.

Sir William Fairbarn, the well known civil engineer, died to-day aged 85.

DUBLIN, Aug 16.—A riot occurred in Armagh yesterday during a parade of Orangemen. An armed mob attacked the procession, and a general fight ensued. The military were called out, and cleared the town at the point of the bayonet, and many of the participants were wounded, but no one was killed.

LONDON, Aug 15.—An immense Home-rule demonstration took place at Glasgow to-day. The procession was a mile in length and 20,000 persons attended the mass meeting. An equally extensive meeting was held in Dungannon to-day. Among the speakers was a Mr. O'Connor of New York.

LONDON, Aug 17.—A "Standard" special despatch from Madrid reports that the Republican General Blanco has captured Vittoria.

LONDON, Aug 16.—50,000 miners assembled in mass meeting on Durham Racecourse yesterday. Addresses were made by Macdonald, Lloyd, Jones and Bradlaugh.

Canada.

OTTAWA, (Ontario), Aug. 19.—The bush fires in this vicinity continue to rage with unabated fury. The town of Aylmer was on the verge of destruction yesterday, but a change of wind fortunately took the fire in another direction. Last night the fire sprung up with renewed energy. In the vicinity of Skell's mills several small shanties were burned. The wind is now blowing in the direction of lumber piles and Richmond Road. At Pontiac and Pembroke much damage has been done. The former village was in great danger. The city (Ottawa) is overshadowed with smoke and ashes, and cinders fill the air. All the Fire Departments are out fighting the flames. The excitement is intense.

OTTAWA, (Ont.,) August 19.—This city is now the center of bush fires, which are closing hourly on all our suburbs. Should a strong wind spring up, it is feared that the village of Hull owing to its flimsy construction, would be swept away by the flames that are now close upon its borders. This city is wrapped in a dense cloud of smoke and fog, and the situation is one of intense anxiety.

Later reports just received give an account of the destructive fire at Carp. A number of houses and barns were destroyed by the prevailing bush fires, and one man, whose name is unknown, was burned to death. There are also large fires raging in the neighbourhood of Brussels, Orillias, Fergus, Tara and Fisherton.

QUEBEC, August 18.—Accounts from the neighbouring parishes represent the storm of Friday last as the most severe that has been experienced for many years, and the damage is great. At Volcarties the crops in many places were entirely destroyed. Potatoes were washed out of the ground, and grain was carried away as if cut with a mowing machine. Hail-stones covered the ground to a depth of three inches. A large number of settlers have been rendered destitute.

TORONTO, August 18.—Hazle, who fired at and wounded Miss Calver and Hurley, whom he mistook for his daughter and her lover, on Thursday night, was arrested last night at Oshawa.

TORONTO, August 18.—S. B. Harris, Grand Secretary of the Free and Accepted Masons, died at eight o'clock this p. m., at Hamilton, after a long illness. The funeral takes place on Thursday.

MONTREAL, August 17.—A married woman named Elizabeth Nolan, committed suicide yesterday, by drowning. Several Frenchman saw her, but made no effect to rescue her.

MONTREAL, August 17.—A special from Fort Garry says Riel has been again unanimously selected as a candidate for the Dominion Parliament, to be nominated on the 26th proximo. He will no doubt go in unopposed.

MONTREAL, August 17.—A special from Newfoundland announces that the Directors of the Direct United States Cable Company have presented Governor Hill with a beautifully filled case containing samples of their new cable, graduating from the shore-end to the deep-sea portion.

Eastern States.

LOUISVILLE (KY.,) August 15.—Philip Arnold, connected with the celebrated diamond transactions of 1872, was to-day arrested upon a requisition from the Governor of California, upon an indictment supposed to be sworn out by Wm. M. Lent and others, of San Francisco, who prosecuted him therr for alleged swindling.

DETROIT, Aug 19th.—To-day Canada and Detroit vied in attentions to Governor General Dufferin and suite, who arrived this morning from Chicago and informally visited various parts of the city and went over to Windsor; at six o'clock they returned to Detroit and were formally received by the City Government and Board of Trade, ending with a reception at the City Hall. This evening, in the procession doing honor to His Excellency, were the entire Fire Department, three companies of regulars from the fort, the National Guard, Light Guard, and two companies of cadets. To-night the City Hall is illuminated.

A YOUNG man in company with some ladies once bored Dr. Johnson to tell them some of his anecdotes, adding, at the same time, the great pleasure and amusement that he had derived from the doctor's capital stories, but it was only after much pressing that Johnson favored them with the following: "A man," he said, "once wanted to rob a church, and after much difficulty effected an entrance into the belfry. Seeing the bell-rope, he, without considering, slid down by it, and the consequence was that, in a few minutes, half the village was aroused by the ringing of the bell, and the sexton entered the church with a mob at his heels, and collared the would-be thief, who looking up at the bell, as I might look at you," added Dr. Johnson, to the young man who had been pestering him for anecdotes, "said, 'if it had not been for your confoundedly long tongue and empty pate, I should not be thus bothered.'"

NO ONE should be without one of the most useful little instruments ever invented. The "LITTLE GEM," for marking linen, cards, books, &c., &c. Each name is set up in type and can be changed in such a manner that one instrument, with a few extra type, will suffice for a whole family. For sale at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s, Government street ***

REMOVAL.—*H. SHORT, Gunmaker, has removed to Occidental Building, Fort Street, opposite Scotch House.* ***

GOOD NEWS for the lovers of Myrtle Navy and Solace Tobacco. A fresh supply just received ex Wm. Taber and for sale at J. H. Todd's, Yates street. ***

"Berkeley, Sept. 1869.—Gentleman, I feel it a duty I owe to you to express my gratitude for the great benefit I have derived by taking 'Norton's Camomile Pills,' I applied to your agent, Mr. Bell, Berkeley for the above-named Pills, for wind in the stomach from which I suffered excruciating pain for a of time, having tried nearly every remedy prescribed but without deriving any benefit at all. After in two bottles of your valuable pills I was quite restored to my usual state of health. Please give publicity for the benefit of those who may thus afflicted.—I am, Sir, yours truly, HENRY ALLPASS. the Proprietor of NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS."

Miscellaneous.

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The furnishing of all materials, labor, instruments and everything necessary to put the line in operation.

The maintenance of the line for a period of five years after its completion.

In the Wooded Sections the land to be cleared to a width of 132 feet or such greater width as may be necessary to prevent injury to the telegraph from fires or falling trees.

Distinct proposals to be made for each of the following sections; such proposals to state the time when the party tendering will undertake to have the telegraph ready for use in each case:

(1) Fort Garry to a point opposite Fort Pelly, about 250 miles.

(2) Fort Garry to the bend of the North Saskatchewan, about 500 miles.

(3) Fort Garry to a point in the longitude of Edmonton, about 800 miles.

(4) Lac La Hache, or other convenient point on the existing telegraph system in British Columbia to Fort Edmonton, about 550 miles.

(5) Fort Garry to Nipegon, Lake Superior, about 420 miles.

(6) Ottawa to Nepigon, Lake Superior, about 760 miles.

The above distances are approximate. They are given for the general guidance of parties desiring information. Any increase or diminution in the ascertained mileage after construction will be paid for or deducted, as the case may be, at a rate corresponding with the sum total of the tender.

Parties tendering must satisfy the Government as to their ability to carry out the work and maintain it for the specified time.

Proposals addressed to the Minister of Public Works will be received up to the 22d day of JULY next.

By order, F. BRAUN, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, 18th June, 1874. jy7dw

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Date.		
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His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council of Canada, has been pleased to constitute and establish the Province of British Columbia a District for all the purposes of the said Act, and the said District is hereby constituted and established accordingly.

His Excellency, under the authority aforesaid, has been further pleased to appoint James Cooper, Esquire, Agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries at Victoria, Receiver of Wrecks in and for the said District of British Columbia.

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Dept. of Marine and Fisheries, Victoria, B.C., May 16, 1874. Agent. my17dw

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Notice to Mariners.

No. 6 of 1874.

REVOLVING LIGHT, Cape Beale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Lighthouse has been erected by the Government of Canada on Cape Beale, at the South-East point of the entrance to Barclay Sound, on the West Coast of Vancouver Island, Province of British Columbia.

Lat. 48 deg. 47 min. 48 sec. N.
Long. 125 deg. 12 min. 52 sec. W.

A Revolving White Light on the Catoptric principle elevated 164 feet above high water, will be exhibited on 1st July next. The light will show at intervals of 30 seconds, making a complete revolution in two minutes, and should be seen in clear weather a distance of 19 miles.

The Tower is a square building, painted light stone color, elevated 35 feet from summit to centre of light, with detached oblong dwelling house, painted same color. The light will be visible from an Easterly bearing, parallel with the coast round to W. by N. ½ N. Caution is hereby given that the light should not be brought to bear to the Eastward of E. ½ N., as foul ground extends off the entrances to Barclay Sound.

All bearings are Magnetic. The Light is for the purpose of a coast light, and to indicate the entrance to Barclay Sound.

Mariners, however, should not attempt to enter the Sound at night without local knowledge or a Pilot.

WM. SMITH,
Deputy of Minister of Marine & Fisheries.
Department of Marine & Fisheries, Ottawa, 20th April, 1874. my22 2m

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